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Paul Salerni's music "pulses with life, witty musical ideas and instrumental color" (The Philadelphia Inquirer), and has been described by the New York Times as "impressive" and "playful." His one-act opera *Tony Caruso's Final Broadcast* won the National Opera Association's Chamber Opera competition in

2007, and a definitive recording of the opera was released on Naxos in 2010. His second one-act, *The Life and Love of Joe Coogan*, an adaptation of a Dick Van Dyke TV Show episode, had its premiere in September 2010. Both one-acts are published by Theodore Presser. Salerni's latest large-scale project was a ballet (FABLES) commissioned and premiered by RIOULT New York. Other recent commissions include Philadelphia Brass, Gabriel Chamber Ensemble, Cape Symphony, San Diego Chamber Orchestra, New Haven Symphony, Emory Chamber Music Society of Atlanta, and SATORI. A CD of Salerni's chamber music ("Touched") was released by Albany Records in January 2015.

Salerni is the NEH Distinguished Chair in the Humanities and Professor of Music at Lehigh University. He received his Ph.D. in composition from Harvard University, where he studied with Earl Kim. Salerni has performed and lectured about Kim's music in Korea, at the Kennedy Center, the 92nd St. Y, and the Aspen Music Festival. A dedicated educator, Salerni was the recipient of the Stabler Award, Lehigh University's most valued acknowledgement of excellence in teaching. He served for seven years on the Board of Directors of the Suzuki Association of the Americas, including two years as its Chair.

PROGRAM

Sonatine (2013) Rachel Brandwein (b. 1982)
i. *buoyant*

Viejo Zortzico (1960) Jesús Guridi (1886-1961)

2x2 4 2 (2015, world premiere) Paul Salerni (b.1951)
i. *Chaconne I*
ii. *Rondo*
iii. *Chaconne II*
iv. *Rondeau*

pause

Fantasia (1977) Frygias Hidas (1928-2007)

Suite de Nature (2015) Rachel Brandwein
i. *une promenade*
ii. *silhouettes*
chemin de la spiritualité et de la clarté
iii. *labyrinthe pastorale*

Six Studies in English Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)
Folk Song (1926) arr. Brandwein/Peterson
i. *Lovely on the Water*
ii. *Spurn Point*
iii. *Van Dieman's Land*
iv. *She Borrowed Some of Her Mother's Gold*
v. *Lady and the Dragon*
vi. *As I Walked Over London Bridge*

ABOUT THE ARTISTS



Harpist **Rachel Brandwein** is the winner of the 2014 Mu Phi Epsilon International Solo Competition, and as Concert Artist 2014-2016 she is performing and giving outreach classes throughout the United States. Rachel serves on faculty at Luther College, College of Saint Benedict & Saint John's University, and at Mount Calvary Academy of Music. Among her performance and music composition accomplishments are first prizes and grants in numerous regional and national competitions sponsored

by Mu Phi Epsilon, American String Teachers Association, and the American Harp Society. A featured soloist at the Ninth World Harp Congress in Dublin, Ireland, Rachel also toured China with the Juilliard Orchestra. She has performed several times with the Minnesota Orchestra, VocalEssence, the National Lutheran Choir, as well as with ensembles around the country. In November of 2013 Rachel embarked on a nine state, fifteen concert tour with Trio Matisse (flute, cello, harp) as part of the Allied Concert Services Tours and is continuing to perform with the trio.

Rachel has recently published her original compositions on her website: www.rachelbrandwein.com. By invitation from the American Harp Society, she performed a full recital of her works at the 2014 National Conference in New Orleans. She was commissioned through a grant by the American Harp Society to write a work for Apple Orange Pair, a professional harp and horn duo, and they premiered it at the 2015 National Institute. This same work also received the 2015 Mu Phi Epsilon Original Composition Contest Former Winners category top prize. Rachel's compositions have been performed throughout the country, such as at the University of Michigan, University of Indiana, University of Minnesota, Western Illinois University, Kansas State University, Sacramento State University, University of Missouri-Kansas City Conservatory, and at Interlochen Center for the Arts where she serves on the harp faculty during the summer camp seasons.

Rachel earned degrees from the University of Michigan (BM), The Juilliard School (MM), and Stony Brook University (DMA). She also studied harp and French for one year in Paris and Lyon, France. After performing at her doctoral commencement, she was awarded the prestigious Ackerman Award for Excellence in Graduate Studies for high accomplishment in performance and pedagogy.



David Peterson, trombone, holds a Doctorate of Musical Arts and Master of Music degree from Stony Brook University in addition to a Bachelor of Science degree in Music Education from St. Cloud State University. He is on the faculty at Southwest Minnesota State University where he teaches trombone, euphonium, tuba, and Introduction to Music. David has given master classes in trombone at the University of Michigan, Interlochen Center for the Arts, and St. Cloud State University. His performance credits include the

Moscow Ballet, George Maurer Jazz Group, Lake Wobegon Brass Band, North Point Brass Quintet, Jake Cortez and the Recipe for Trouble, and St. Cloud Symphony Orchestra. He is a champion of new music both on his own and in tandem with his partner in the Branderson Duo, harpist Rachel Brandwein.

Brandwein and Peterson first met in 2009 as doctoral students at Stony Brook University and began playing together professionally as the Branderson Duo in 2011. Their concerts are an attractive mix of original and arranged works for this unique combination of instruments.

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